ABSOLUTE RATING: Average IMPROVEMENT RATING: Average

Number of middle schools with students similar to ours: 38. The absolute ratings for those schools ranged from unsatisfactory to average. For the improvement ratings, the range was from unsatisfactory to excellent.

### RATINGS OVER A 4-YEAR PERIOD

Absolute Rating Improvement Rating
2001 Average Average
2002
2003
2004

(Definitions of School Rating Terms on Page 4)

## PALMETTO ACHIEVEMENT CHALLENGE TESTS (PACT) RESULTS

Our School

Schools With Students Like Ours

56%

47%

1%8%

23% 1% 20%

Selection of the students Like Ours

59%

29%

49%

49%

49%

1%11%

Mathematics

English/
Language Arts

Advanced

Proficient

Basic

Below Basic

#### **DEFINITIONS OF CRITICAL TERMS:**

- Advanced Student performance exceeded expectations.
- Proficient Student performance met expectations.
- Basic Student performance met minimum performance expectations.
- Below Basic Student performance did not meet minimum performance expectations.

Science scores are to be reported on 2004 School Report Cards. Social studies scores are to be reported on 2005 School Report Cards.

PERCENT OF STUDENTS SCORING BASIC OR ABOVE ON THE PACT					
	English/			Social	
Student Group	Language Arts	Math	Science	Studies	
All students (n=165)	77%	52.1%	N/A	N/A	
Students with disabilities other than					
Speech (n=4)	N/A	N/A			
Students without disabilities (n=161)	76.4%	52.2%			
Gender					
Male (n=79)	75.9%	48.1%			
Female (n=86)	77.9%	55.8%			
Ethnic Group					
African American (n=153)	76.5%	49.7%			
Hispanic (n=N/A)	N/A	N/A			
White (n=12)	N/A	N/A			
Other (n=N/A)	N/A	N/A			
Lunch Status Group					
Free/reduced-price Lunch (n=136)	78.7%	53.7%			
Pay for lunch (n=29)	N/A	N/A			

# SCHOOL PROFILE INDICATORS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Middle School
SCHOOL				
<ul> <li>Dollars spent per student</li> </ul>	\$7,317	N/A	\$5,562	\$5,127
<ul> <li>Prime instructional time</li> </ul>	85.8%	Down from 88.3%	87.8%	89.6%
<ul> <li>Student-teacher ratio</li> </ul>	14.7 to 1	N/A	21.1 to 1	21.4 to 1
in core subjects				
STUDENTS (n=185)				
Attendance rate	95.1%	No change	95.1%	95.7%
<ul> <li>Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (ELA) off grade level</li> </ul>	6.7%	N/A	8.2%	4.5%
<ul> <li>Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (math) off grade level</li> </ul>	4.8%	N/A	6.5%	4.0%
Retention rate	8%	Down from 11%	6.8%	4.5%
TEACHERS (n=17)				
<ul> <li>Professional Development days per teacher</li> </ul>	10.3 Days	Up from 7.3	8.9 Days	8.0 Days
Attendance Rate	92.6%	Down from 94.4%	94.3%	95.2%
<ul> <li>Teachers with advanced degrees</li> </ul>	64.7%	Down from 73.3%	43.8%	45.8%
<ul> <li>Continuing contract teachers</li> </ul>	70.6%	Down from 82.4%	76.7%	80.8%
<ul> <li>Teachers with out-of-field permits</li> </ul>	0%	No change	2.7%	2.4%
<ul> <li>Teachers returning from the previous school year</li> </ul>	78.6%	Down from 84.1%	80.8%	83.7%
<ul> <li>Average teacher salary</li> </ul>	\$39,894	Down 0.5%	\$36,464	\$37,455

#### **SCHOOL FACTS**

(	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Middle School
SCHOOL				
Dropout rate	0%	N/A	0%	0.0%
<ul> <li>Percentage of expenditures spent on teacher salaries</li> </ul>	62.4%	N/A	61.1%	61.5%
<ul> <li>Principal's years at the school</li> </ul>	ol 4	N/A	2	3.0
<ul> <li>Parents attending conferences</li> </ul>	65.9%	N/A	73.2%	78.2%
<ul> <li>Opportunities in the arts</li> </ul>	Good	N/A	Good	Good
STUDENTS				
On academic plans	N/A	N/A	58.5%	45.8%
<ul> <li>On academic probation</li> </ul>	N/A	N/A	0%	0.0%
<ul> <li>Older than usual for grade</li> </ul>	6.5%	Down from 9.3%	7.4%	4.5%
<ul> <li>Suspended or expelled</li> </ul>	57	N/A	23	15
<ul> <li>Enrolled in high school credit courses</li> </ul>	13.2%	N/A	8.7%	13.2%
Gifted and talented	6.4%	Up from 1.1%	7.1%	12.1%
With disabilities     other than speech	4.3%	Down from 4.8%	15.1%	13.6%



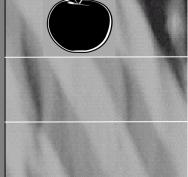
#### PRINCIPAL'S / SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT

McClellanville Middle School strives to educate students in grades 6-8 through a rigorous, relevant curriculum that addresses the various needs of adolescents. Students are challenged to become life-long learners and productive citizens.

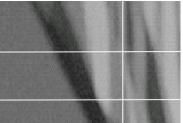
According to the five-year School Renewal Plan, the major goal of McClellanville Middle School is to have 100% of the students score at or above the Proficient Level in Reading/English/Language Arts and Mathematics on the PACT. The interim goal is to decrease the number of students scoring in the Below Basic category on PACT by 10% per year. Toward that end, we reached the Spring 2000 goal by decreasing the number of students in the Below Basic category by 10% in mathematics. You will notice that as students' scores decrease in the Below Basic categories, there will be an increase in the Basic, Proficient, and Advanced categories.

Together, we can continue to help our students make academic progress. We invite you to join us in a combined effort to help promote academic excellence at McClellanville Middle School. Please call us at 887-3232 to join our team or to receive more information.









McClellanville Middle 711 Pinckney Street McClellanville, SC 29458

Grades 6-8 Middle School

Enrollment: 185 Students



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# THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Annual School 2001 Report Card

> School Grade: Average

#### South Carolina Performance Goal:

By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the five fastest improving systems in the country.

> For more information, visit our website at www.myscschools.com

#### **EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS AND STUDENTS**

Percent	Teachers	Students	Parents
Satisfied with learning environment	N/A	N/A	(Avail. 2002)
Satisfied with social and physical environment	N/A	N/A	
Satisfied with home-school relations	N/A	N/A	

## **DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS**

Excellent - School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal. Good - School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal Average - School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal. Below Average - School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal. Unsatisfactory - School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

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